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A CRISIS IN FRANCE.

Resignation and Reorganization of
the Ribot Cabinet.

GREAT EXCITEMENT BUT NO DISORDER

Charles de Lesseps, Fontaine, Cottu and
Riffel, accused of complicity in
the Panama Canal Fraud, Ar-
rived in Court.

PARIS, Jan. 11.—Although the resig-
nation of the ministry caused wide-
spread excitement, there was no at-
tempt to create disorder. The resig-
nation of the cabinet was announced
yesterday, and the house resumed its sit-
ting. There was a large attendance of
members and the galleries were
crowded. Interest being centered on
the election of a new president of the
chamber.

The chamber was called to order by
M. Pierre Blanc, member for Savoy
deputies. After the usual formalities the
name of M. Floquet as a candidate for
election to the presidency of the cham-
ber was presented. This evoked a
somewhat unexpected and violent
opposition, and in the course of
speeches made against M. Floquet,
particular stress was laid upon his own
administration. He had used some of
the funds of the Panama company, not for
his personal benefit, but for his cam-
paign against Boulanger and to secure
the election of a republican chamber
in 1893.

The vote that usually follows the
presentation of a candidate's name did
not take place though M. de Lesseps
demanded that it be taken by roll call
and by ballot. M. Floquet's name was
not elected. The members of the right were
determined to oppose his re-election by every
means in their power, and knowing
that without their support he could not
secure a majority withdrew his candi-
dacy. The republican group then nomi-
nated M. Casimir-Perier for the office.

M. Casimir-Perier, who is a chevalier
of the Legion of Honor, was born in
Paris, November 8, 1841. He was
elected a member of the chamber of
deputies in 1876 and has been success-
fully re-elected. He has held several
positions in various cabinets. He was
elected vice-president of the cham-
ber three times.

A vote was taken on M. Casimir-
Perier's name and he was
elected by a majority of 185, the vote
standing 62 to 123.

The new cabinet organized by M.
Ribot, premier and minister of
the interior.

M. Ribot, foreign affairs
M. Tirard, finance
M. Bourgeois, justice
M. Loubet, war
M. Bourgeois, colonies and marine
M. Dupuy, instruction
M. Vigier, agriculture
M. Siegfried, commerce
M. Viot, work

The most notable difference between
this cabinet and its predecessor is shown
by the absence of M. de Freycinet and
M. Loubet. M. Loubet, however, has
been elected as regards the investigation of
the Panama scandal has been all concerned
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and Populists Over Organization
Takes an Unexpected Turn—A
Game of Pretext Out.

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posed clash between the republicans
and populists over the organization of
the house has come, but in a totally
unexpected manner. The republicans
made a bold move to exclude from
participation all those members against
whom contests were pending.

The republicans would not listen to
such a proposition which would mean
the surrender of the house to the
populists, and the result is that the
house is organized and is in full
blaze side by side in the same room.

At 10 o'clock Secretary of State Co-
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FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

Second Session.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—The routine morning

business (most of it important) consumed half
an hour and at the close, the bill granting ad-
ditional quarantine powers and imposing ad-
ditional duties on the marine hospital service
was again taken up, the pending question be-
ing on the amendment offered yesterday by
Mr. Chandler. The bill was passed.

Mr. Chandler's amendment was as follows:
"That the bill be amended so that the
provisions of the bill shall be in full force
and effect from and after the passage of the
bill." The amendment was passed.

After a short discussion Mr. Vile's amend-
ment was rejected. Yes, 11 yeas, 27
nays. Mr. Vile moved to amend the same
section by striking out the words "and
migration" and inserting the words "and
travel" in whole or in part the introduction
of a new and proper.

The amendment was accepted by Mr. Vile.
Chandler and Harris, and was agreed to with
a yeas and nays vote. The amendment was
passed. The bill was then passed.

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BENJAMIN F. BUTLER

Sudden Death of the Millionaire
Lawyer and Statesman

AT HIS RESIDENCE IN WASHINGTON

At Half-Past One O'Clock This Morn-
ing—He was in Court Yesterday
Apparently Well—Sketch of the
Dead Politician's Life.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Benjamin F.
Butler, the lawyer, statesman, politi-
cian and millionaire manufacturer,
died at his Washington residence, No.
220 New Jersey avenue, southeast,
at 1:30 o'clock this morning. The general
has always, to a more or less
extent, made his residence in Wash-
ington, although many of the scenes
of his successful ventures have been
located elsewhere. During the present
winter a case which had been decided
against him in the highest courts of
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Do You Need ANYTHING in Men's Wear for Winter?

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We have got them.

You have got the cash.

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THE BEST MADE.

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Boots, Shoes and Slippers.

We have bought stacks of Nice, Clean Goods from the big
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Shoes, sold in Chicago at \$7.00,
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\$3.00.

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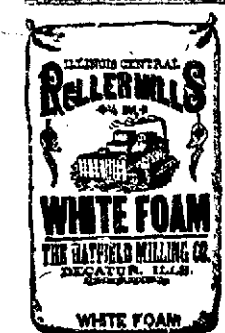
Ladies' Sample \$4.00 and \$5.00
shoes at \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Ladies' \$2.50 shoe now \$1.98.

See Our Windows.

WAGGONER & DOWNING,

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If You Want Good Bread
ALWAYS ASK
YOUR DEALER FOR
ONE OF THESE
BRANDS OF FLOUR.

They are the best in the
market. Every sack
guaranteed. For sale
by all grocers.



Administrator's Sale of
Real Estate.

Public notice is hereby given that the under-
signed, Harry O. Griffin, administrator of the
estate of Caroline A. Lockwood, deceased, in
pursuance of a decree of the County Court of
the County of St. Clair, Illinois, dated the 15th
day of January, A. D. 1900, at the hour of four
o'clock in the afternoon of said day, will sell
at public vendue in the village of Arzenta, in said county,
all the real estate therein described, to-wit:
Lot 17 in Block 8 (N) of the village of
Arzenta, in the County of St. Clair and State of
Illinois, to-wit: to satisfy the debt of said
Caroline A. Lockwood.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the
People's Savings and Loan Association will be
held at the office of the Association, 100 South
Fourth Street, Decatur, Ill., on Monday, Jan-
uary 16, 1900, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the
afternoon for the purpose of electing directors and for the
transaction of such other business as shall come
before the meeting.

ALBERT BARNES, Secy.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

A. R. HAMMER, V. P. CALHOUN,
SAMUEL & CALHOUN, Proprietors
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

WEDNESDAY EVE., JAN. 11, 1900.

The rapid formation of trusts on every
hand and the rise in the price of whiskey
are local coincidences with the return of
the Democratic party to power.

It is the duty of Republicans in every
class to take advantage of every opportunity
to secure the election of
Republicans to the United States senate.

Gov. Gen. John D. Cookman, a leading
Knoxian Democrat, said that under
no conditions would he accept a political
office. When Cleveland heard of this he
sent for the General and is now consult-
ing him.

It is so remarkable that the principal
talk among Democrats, since the
election, is about increasing taxation
and seeking excuses for it. Before election
the same men were crying out
against taxation.

Gov. Gen. of Indiana, is one of the
few prominent Democrats whose statements
touching themselves and the
country is accepted by everybody as true.
He says Cleveland has not mentioned
the matter to him.

It has been discovered within the last
few days that the only self-convinced
elector to a governorship is the man
Lawrence of Kansas. He has no scruple
of conception of true government that
he could not be reformed. He is the rawest
of raw material.

A Democratic congressman under-
took to tell his fellow Democrats in con-
gress a few days ago that it was the duty
of every Democrat to vote to repeal the
Sherman silver law, as the Democratic
platform declared against it; but his fel-
lows only smiled at him. He evidently,
in their opinion, has not learned that a
Democratic platform is intended to get
into office on and not to follow when in
power.

Thus following from Gov. Altgeld's
inaugural will strike the careful observer
as an oft-demonstrated truth, but one
from which men refuse to profit.

"The redistribution of the state will be
one of the most important duties in-
volving upon this general assembly. It
will be difficult to so redistribute the state
as to do exact justice to all interests and
parties. Nevertheless, every effort should
be made to come as near doing so as
possible. As a rule, injustice benefits
nobody, and almost invariably comes
home to pluck its authors."

Illinois State Journal: While the
Democratic legislators are almost in-
nocent in their haste to repeal the con-
stitutional school law of Illinois, Governor
Flower of New York one of the ablest
Democrats in the nation, earnestly calls
the attention of the people to the crying
necessity of a more stringent school law
in the empire state. He asserts that
over 700,000 children in New York do not
attend school at all, and that this is a
menace to the peace and welfare of the
state, and he is right about it.

A most important decision was
rendered in the United States circuit
court in Rhode Island a few days ago
in favor of the New York Equitable Life
Assurance company, and against the
administrator of the estate of one
McHale. McHale was insured in 1890 and
died in 1891. When he made application
for the policy McHale stated he had no
habit of drinking intoxicating liquors
but took a glass of beer occasionally.
The point of death stated that
death of delirium tremens. The court
held McHale seen his policy by false
statements.

The Democratic administration of
Missouri recommends increasing the
price of court contract labor from 50
cents a day to 75 cents a day. In Illinois
the Democratic claim to oppose prison
contract labor in any form. What differ-
ence can there be between contract
prison labor in Missouri and contract
prison labor in Illinois that makes no
such difference in the principles of Mis-
souri and Illinois Democracy? Missouri
Democrats do not have to fight to carry
Missouri, hence they are not under the
necessity of playing the demagogue as
Illinois Democratic leaders do.

In his inaugural speech Gov. Altgeld
said: "I wish, however, in this connec-
tion, to submit that the time has come
to the development of our great state
when the public service should be as
possible divorced from partisan polit-
ics, and when we should establish by
law a classified civil service, based upon
honesty and capability, such as already
prevails some of the eastern states."
This words were well. It is patriotic and
worthy the effort of any great party; but
in the hands of Mr. Altgeld and his
party it is mere political "rot." The
eastern states that have these reforms
are indebted to the Republican party for
them. Democrats cannot so easily have,
as long as there is a chance to turn a
Republican out and put a Democrat in
office.

In the National Treasury.
Chicago Inter-Ocean: "The Demo-
crats are still talking about our depleted
national treasury as if Mr. Cleveland had
let a surplus and would come back to
find a deficit. Before us is the official
statement of the cash in the treasury at
the close of the calendar year. At the
close of 1899 the cash balance in the
treasury was \$129,002,883.20. Does this
look like national bankruptcy?"

The gross amount of the treasury at
that time was \$798,798,988.40, but out of
it must be taken to find the cash balance
on hand, the demand liabilities, gold
certificates, silver certificates, treasury
notes of 1890, amounting all together
to \$699,497,018.00; also treasury official
liabilities amounting to \$41,231,878.20. If
we deduct also the \$100,000,000 gold reserve
there would still be \$29,002,883.20 as a
net cash balance.

If the second Cleveland administra-
tion is able to make as good a treasury
showing four years hence it will have
abundant reason to be proud and happy
over the result. There is no other
treasury like it in the whole world.
It contains in round numbers seven
hundred millions of dollars in hard coin
and actual bullion, less than one-eighth
part of the total gross cash being in
paper money. Notwithstanding all the
talk about the expiation of gold, the
treasury contains of this metal \$290,000,
000.30. To talk of the poverty and ex-

haustion of the treasury of the United
States is like the apprehension of a brain-
sufferer millionaire that he may and his
days in the poor house.

"Education Is What Done It."

"I have discovered," said State Sen-
ator Coggeshall to a party of politicians, ac-
cording to the New York Times, just
what it was that caused the recent Re-
publican defeat. I have solved the
problem."

"I suppose you think it was due to a
disappointed feeling among the working
classes," said one of the party.

"Not much," said the senator. "I did
that had something to do with it but
I am wrong."

"Think it was the unpopularity of the
candidates, do you?" asked another.

"No," said the senator.

"Bad management," asked a third.

"Not a bit,"

"The force bill issue?" suggested an-
other.

"No—no force bill issue," said the sen-
ator, "nor the state bank platform, nor
the lack of funds by the Republicans, nor
the hostility of the old machine, nor
any other of the excuses which have been
assigned."

"What is it?" then asked two or three
of the group.

"I found out up at Utica the other
night," said Senator Coggeshall. "I was
a spectator of a parade celebrating the
election. One of the transportation
men, the fastest of the bunch, behind
the band was an emigrant after bearing
these words: 'Education Is What Done It.'"

"FACE AND FIGURE"

show it, if you're
a healthy woman.
They'll have a
healthy skin, rosy
cheeks, and bright
eyes, is enough to
make any woman
attractive.

To get perfect
health, use faithfully
Dr. Pierce's
Favorite Prescription.
That regulates
and promotes
all the proper func-
tions of woman-
hood, improves di-
gestion, enriches
the blood, dispels
aches and pains,
brings refreshing
sleep, and restores
health, flesh and
strength.

For periodical pains, prolapsus
and other displacements, bearing-
down sensations, and "female com-
plaints" generally, it is so effective
that it can be guaranteed.

If it doesn't benefit or cure, you have
your money back. It is a certain
fact, sold in this way likely to be
"just as good."

For every case of Catarrh which
they cannot cure, the proprietors of
Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy agree to
pay \$500 in cash. You're cured
by its mild, soothing, cleansing,
and healing properties, or you're paid.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by
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Plated Teaspoons, 35c
Napkin Rings, 10c
Plush Albums, 98c
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Oil Paintings, 98c
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500 cakes Toilet Soaps,
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Extensive line of Ladies' and
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WANTED—A good tenant, who can
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Wool Plaids, that sold for 50,
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20 pieces 44 inch, Arnold
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\$1.00 per yard—Special Sale
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Blankets worth \$1.00, Reduced to 69c
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25 pieces All Wool Flannel
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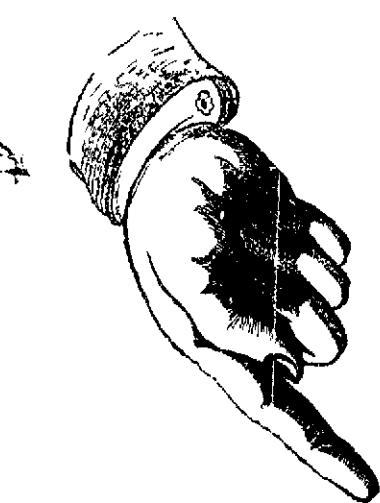
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A few fine Arotics left at 60c, for gentle-
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80c Per Sack.

You can buy a fifty pound sack of
Flour for fifty cents. But don't expect
to get the best. The best is the best,
and you don't get the best unless
you buy this brand. The Best is the
best. You will always find The Best at

++ CLOYD'S, ++
144 East Main St.

WEDNESDAY EVE, JAN. 11, 1906.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DEATHS.

KEVIN BROWNE to night in "Killarney."

Missionary lecture to night at the

First M. E. church.

Not so cold to-day, but the wind was

cutting early this morning.

Smoke the old reliable, E. & W. cigars

marked.

Scattered in good near the Maffi ice

house. Go down on the ice.

Boy family groceries at Philip Kem-

per's handy store, 737 North Water

street.

The second Home lecture will com-

mence to-night at the Women's Club Assembly

rooms.

Piles of people have piles, but De

Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them.

W. F. Neider.

You can always get good groceries and

fruits at John J. Hanks' store, 143 South

Water street.

All of the personal property of the

late Philip W. Taylor was sold to his

mother, Mrs. Annie M. Taylor.

Taxpayers Battery A, I. N. G., at

Danville, has disbanded. Look of inter-

est is assigned as the cause. Deatur

ought to have a battery.

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is the Deatur agent for the Remington

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JOHN ANSWERS BUREAU

New Light on the Hard Road Question

Cost \$1200 to \$2800

Per Mile.

EDITORIAL: I was much

surprised to see the superior from

Oakley put himself on record against

road improvement, and much more so

that he should do so. In the first place

he is the owner of several im-

portant parcels, including the water

rights to build good roads agree-

ment. Then he is troubled be-

cause he thinks I misrepresented the

farmers at Champlain. Then, the

kindness of Mr. H. says the farmers

will support me. I should have put

myself where they could get me. I do

not care to make a personal matter out

of the road question, nor will I pass the

responsibility of my question.

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New Officers and Committees.

At a meeting of the Y. M. C. A. board

last evening the following officers were

elected for the ensuing year:

President—W. J. Huff.

Vice President—L. S. Turner.

Recording Secretary—George Tucker.

Treasurer—D. A. Mander.

The president announced the following

committees for the year:

Finance Committee—W. O. Gatten, H. A.

West, A. H. Allen, C. S. Turner, W. J. Wayne.

Executive Committee—George E. Knight, L.

H. Clark, G. T. Tucker.

Educational—C. S. Turner, G. W. Bates, W.

L. S. Turner, E. F. Irving, J. E. Knight, G. T.

Tucker.

Advising—Barnard, N. D. Myers, Charles

Wardell.

Vocational—G. W. Bates, D. A. Mander, G.

Social Work—Walter Dawson, A. F. Barcott,

T. G. Molinare, J. N. Lindsay, George A. Keith,

R. Steiner, Burt A. Gher.

Religious—L. S. Turner, W. J. Wayne, Walter

Adams, L. S. Turner.

Invitation—J. E. Knight, Frank Dawson, Guy

Highner, D. K. Bullard, Will Mackey, Fred

Religious Work—George E. Knight, H. A.

West, W. G. Wells, W. H. Hubbard, Geo. T.

Tucker.

Membership and Church—Charles Wardell,

John Smith, John L. Patton, H. H. Steadler,

Brugh Warner, Archie Davis, W. N. Rogers.

Reception—C. O. Curtis, Arthur R. Gay, Sam-

uel Smith, William Davis, S. E. Conklin, S. O.

Dewey, F. W. G. Wells, C. E. Knight, S. O.

Smith, Munson, Matthew Kirkwood, Milton G.

Lois.

The Finance committee did a little

work at once, raising \$250 in the meet-

ing. The association is homeless during

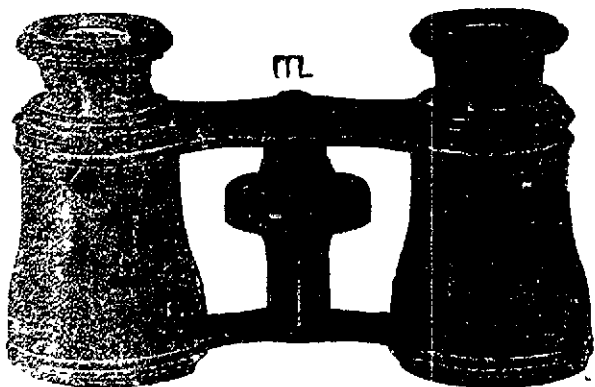
the repairs on the Chesapeake building,

but when they are completed will

have their quarters than ever, and will

OPERA * GLASSES

And Lorgnettes.



We have recently opened a very large importation of these goods and are offering very decided bargains in them, PEARL, MOROCCO, SILVER AND ALLUMINUM

We sell only the BEST LEMAITRE Opera Glasses.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,
Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

A DEEP CUT

In Prices This Week, at
JOHN FINN'S.

PURE MAPLE SYRUP, \$1.10 PER GALLON
NEW SORGHUM, 50¢ PER GALLON
PURE BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, 7 LBS. FOR 25¢
FANCY LARGE RAISINS, 3 LBS. FOR 25¢
CALIFORNIA TABLE PEACHES, 20¢ PER CAN.
CALIFORNIA TABLE APRICOTS, 18¢ PER CAN.
FRESH BALTIMORE OYSTERS, 20¢ TO 25¢ PER CAN.
QUAKER OATS, PER 2 LB. PACKAGE, 10¢
GOOD JAPAN RICE, 5¢ PER LB.
OUR BEST BROKEN JAVA COFFEE, 20¢ PER LB.
LARGE LOTS of TOILET SOAPS
CENT. LESS THAN FORMER PRICES.

The above goods are all of a superior quality. We carry no poor goods in our stock.

JOHN FINN,
333 North Water Street. Telephone 341.

1892=1855=37
Kettle Rendered
LARD,
Pure and Sweet
LET US FILL YOUR CANS.

Imboden Bros.
Savings Fund Building Association.

The 23d series of the capital stock is now being issued at the office of the Association, No. 124 North Water street. The first four series have matured and been paid off, and the 5th series will mature this winter. Payments 50 cents per share, commencing the last Wednesday in November. Interest paid on stock withdrawn before maturity. Own your home. Do not pay rent, but join a building association.
H. W. BARTHOLOMEW, President.
H. A. WOOD, Vice President.
B. K. DUFFEN, Secretary.

J. B. BULLARD,
FUNERAL DIRECTOR,
Has removed from Marshall Temple Block to
Syndicate Block, 200 North Main street, where
he is surrounded by the finest and most
complete stock of caskets and funeral
furnishings. In connection with his
office, he has a large and complete stock
of caskets and funeral
furnishings.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

FRESH OYSTERS

WOOD'S.

WEDNESDAY EVE, JAN 11, 1893.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Disappointed.
All parties who expected to get 100-piece diamond sets for \$4.90 and found out it was a humbug, as usual, will find that our 100-piece diamond sets are as advertised, and we do not try to palm off 50-piece sets and make people believe they are bargains. Come to us and get genuine bargains. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

Dress & Son, tailors.

Fancy dress at Singleton's.

Tuxedo, 48—Hodges & Moore, dentists.

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DUNHAM POST.

Installation of Officers—Summary of Annual Report—Address of Commander Norman Pringle.

Dunham Post No. 141, G. A. R., met last night and installed its new officers-elect. Past Commander Geo. R. Steele was the installing officer. Those installed were the following: Post Commander, Norman Pringle; S. V. Post Commander, James Steele; J. V. Post Commander, Geo. F. Nicholls; Surgeon, T. B. Spalding; Chaplain, R. F. Gyle; Quartermaster, Geo. B. DeLoe; Officer of the Day, F. B. Boly; Officer of the Guard, Benben Coble; Adjutant, John A. Rees; Sergeant Major, Melville Hatch; Q. M. Sergeant, A. C. Stevens. The appointment of committees for the year was postponed until the next meeting.

The official reports showed that the post expended, during the year for relief \$804.87, and that the number of families relieved were twenty-one, and other persons relieved thirty-nine. When the installation ceremonies were concluded Commander Norman Pringle addressed the post. His effort was a happy one and so pleased the comrades that they unanimously resolved that it should be printed in the only paper. Following is Commander Pringle's address to the post.

Comrades, I can not but feel gratified by the honor you have conferred upon me by my election to the position of Commander of the Post.

The manner in which you have conferred this honor is indeed gratifying—by a unanimous vote of the Post, not one dissenting voice, which leads me to believe that you have the fullest confidence in me, and realizing the responsibility placed upon me as commander of this Post I will try to conduct the affairs of the Post that no outside need arise to be cast his vote for me for commander. I pledge myself now to stand by you as you have stood by me. You tell me I have no confidence in me, but I tell you I have filled for three consecutive terms. My efforts during the coming year will be that at the end of my term of office as commander, I may receive a like commendation from you. I shall expect the help of every comrade of this Post the coming year by your attendance at Post meetings and without me, what work may be assigned to you. I shall expect the support and counsel of the officers and comrades in all affairs pertaining to the welfare of the Post. Now comrades let us fall into line and touch elbows as we used to in the ranks during the dark days. You remember, our much more confidence you had in me, and our engagement when you could feel that touch of your comrade on the right and on the left. There is work for us to do, let us fall into line and touch elbows and show to the world that we are indeed a Grand Army of the R—phib. Let us renew our pledges of fraternity towards each other, and charity toward the destitute wards of our grand army—those left by our dead comrades as a sacred charge upon a nation's gratitude—and of loyalty to our country and our glorious flag under whose folds every comrade's grave is an altar of patriotism. Let us work in harmony, and when the year shall have passed that we may look back with satisfaction, knowing that much good has been done.

Comrades, for the honor conferred upon me and the respect you have shown me and confidence in me, let me thank you from the bottom of my heart. I thank you.

At Rest.
At the funeral of Antoinette, daughter of W. F. and Mamie Dennis, held at the home this afternoon, Rev. H. H. Ousel spoke in part as follows:

Antoinette was born at Little Rock, Ark., on the 18th day of February, 1880. She was baptized in Grace Methodist church, Deatur, June 15, 1891, by Rev. Geo. E. Scrimgeour. She was an unusual child. Intellectually and characteristically she was developed beyond her years. It is evident that she had been carefully taught and fully appreciated the meaning of her baptism. Although her Christian faith was childlike, yet it had the strength and courage of maturity. Her sickness was exceedingly severe and painful, yet she suffered in uncomplaining patience. For days she lingered, in perfect consciousness, on the border land of another world. Often, with tremulous voice, she sang the hymns she had learned in Sunday school. Often with a simple and beautiful trust she prayed, intelligently and tenderly, for herself and friends, and especially for her father and mother whom she loved with unusual tenderness. When her flesh was quivering with pain, the name "Jesus" was often on her lips and seemed to have a strange power to soothe and strengthen her.

Who that saw her during her illness can doubt the genuineness and reality of Christian life and experience, even in a child. In the large circles of young friends who knew her but to love her "Toni" will be greatly missed, and the memory of her bright and happy spirit will long be cherished.

W. R. C. Officers in Place.

The newly elected officers of Dunham Relief Corps, No. 4, were installed yesterday afternoon as follows:
President—Mrs. Maggie Sutton
Senior Vice President—Mrs. Lizzie Holmes
Junior Vice—Mrs. Mary Wackerly
Chaplain—Mrs. L. J. Loefer
Treasurer—Mrs. Carrie E. Spore
Sergeant—Mrs. Mary E. Brown
Conductor—Mrs. George H. Brown
Guard—Mrs. Marie White
Assistant Conductor—Mrs. Emma M. Loefer
Assistant Secretary—Mrs. Sarah Logan
Organist—Sallie J. Steele.

The corps members hope to make a better record than ever this Columbian year.

An Unlucky Deatur Man.

Patrick Moran of Deatur fell while on Sixth street between Washington and Adams streets yesterday afternoon about 2:40 o'clock and broke his left leg just below the knee. He was removed to Michael O'Connor's saloon until the patient was called and he was taken to St. John's Hospital, where Dr. Ryan attended him. *—Springfield Journal, Jan. 11.*

Took Dinner in Deatur.

The Theodore Thomas orchestra of 66 members were in the city several hours to-day. They arrived in the city at 11:30 o'clock over the T. & E. from Terre Haute, and left on the afternoon for Bloomington where they play to-night. They will return to Deatur to-morrow and give one of their marvellous musical concerts at the Grand to-morrow night.

Killed His Father.
Tuesday evening five miles east of Le Roy, Madison county, Thomas Wharton was butchering hogs, and after loading his rifle handed it to his son, a lad about 11 years old. The gun was accidentally discharged, and he sold large quantities of timber in the branch millinery. For sale by J. J. Hughes, Le Roy, Mo.

COURT CRIMINAL CASES.

The Offenders Will Have to Come to the Front January 23.

Judge Vail found the circuit court room comfortable this forenoon and business proceeded without interruption. The Blue Mound civil case is still on trial by jury, with Mills Bros. & Mills for the village officers, and Buckingham & Schroll for the defendants. It is an action to recover about \$1,000, growing out of late suits about whisky violations.

The call of the criminal cases has been set for Monday, January 23. All parties in jail and out on bail will have to put in an appearance that day.

CRIMINAL DOCKING.

Jacob Houser vs Catherine Houser et al, petition. Motion entered by Edwin Park to make new parties defendant.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.

The Mill Elevator Co. vs W. T. Roberts & Co., demurrer sustained.
George H. Proctor vs Maggie A. Murray and John A. Murray, appellants; appeal. Motion by defendants for a continuance allowed.
Utes Hydraulic Cement Co. vs V. H. Parks & Son, et al, petition for continuance confessed at cost of defendants.

Martin Reiter, Jr. vs Harrington & Warr, confession Judgment for \$100 and costs. Execution issued.

FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING.

Illinois Veterinary Surgeons at President Swain's Office.

The fourth annual meeting of the Illinois Veterinary Medical and Surgical Association is in progress this afternoon at the office of the president, S. H. Swain, on East Wood street. The attendance is very satisfactory. New officers are to be elected, and there is to be a banquet to-night at one of the hotels. Dr. Bangs of Chicago is the secretary of the association. The total membership is twenty. This afternoon the society will hear the president's annual address and papers on the following topics:
Flinia—V. G. Hunt of Mason.
Parasitism—S. D. Brown of Assumption.
Ringworm—L. O. Gray of Moline.
Pneumonia—J. M. Reed of Mattoon.
Lumbago—P. M. Roberts of Taylorville.

EXPLOSION HORROR.

(Special to the REPUBLICAN.)

Chicago, Jan. 11.—By a deaf explosion to-day in the Union Pacific mines near Omo, Colo., twenty-seven men were killed.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Nellie Mohr is on the sick list.

George Watt is in Missouri on business.

C. H. Tyler is in New York City on business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Murphy are both on the sick list.

Mrs. Lora Nelson has returned to her home in Chicago.

L. S. Colby departed last night for the state of New Hampshire.

Mrs. G. D. Thomas left to-day for Chicago on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. J. H. Evans left to-day at noon for her home in Chicago.

Attorney John A. Brown has returned from Lafayette, Ind.

Mr. Knowles, of Effingham, is in the city on vacation.

Mrs. George Wickens returned to-day from a visit with relatives in Taylorville.

Misses Joanne Montgomery and Nellie Moore and Mrs. Moore have returned from Florida.

Hon. Jason Rogers was in Springfield yesterday. He did not witness the inauguration.

Mrs. Ida Reame departed to-day for an extended visit with relatives at Shelby, Illinois.

The three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dickinson is very sick at his home on Olive street.

W. C. Rowe is convalescent. He has been confined to his home for several weeks with rheumatism.

Mrs. Mand Martin has succeeded Miss Sallie McCall as teacher in the first and second grades at the Boody school.

Hon. C. A. Ewing returned last night from Springfield. He was on the Alt-gold staff as aide-de-camp at the reception.

Miss Velma Hoxey has returned to her home in Chicago, after a visit with relatives and friends in Deatur and Monticello.

Mrs. Jane S. Ford, Mrs. Nellie Knowles and Miss Sallie Ford, of Effingham, are in the city with Mr. Ewing and family at 317 West Mason street.

H. W. Matters, of Evansville, purchasing agent of the Mackey system, was in the city to-day on business. He left on the noon train for Peoria.

Sen. J. D. Johnston, advance agent of the T. & E. Old Creek company, arrived at the St. Nicholas last night. He is as large as life and as breezy as ever.

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Darlow and Mrs. Louella returned this morning from the night, where they were present at the inauguration exercises at Gov. Altgeld's.

There's Only One Left.

Like Corbett, who knocked out the great John L., I have knocked out all competitors. On fine goods and low prices. There is only one J. E. Saxton now in Deatur, and that there may be no confusion or mistake, he will hereafter part his hair in the middle (not his name) and change his name to J. E. Saxton, proprietor of the 999 Stores, the bargain houses of Deatur. 800 Corners 100 and 101.

Democrats on Guard.

Governor Altgeld and all Democratic state officers were daily installed yesterday, and to-day none but Democrats are on guard. Altgeld's appointees will be made known in a short time. Not long to wait.

Penny of Them.

Our great Dinner Set sale is the "talk of the town." We have plenty of them \$3.40, \$3.60, \$3.80, \$7.50 and \$9. No humbug in our 100 piece sets.

H. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

The views of Italy and Rome this evening at the Christian church will be a grand treat to all lovers of the beauties of nature and art.

THE STATE FAIR.

The State Board of Agriculture Refers the Permanent Location to the Legislature.

The state board of agriculture met in Springfield yesterday. President Gore was installed, and the board, in secret session, elected John W. Brown treasurer and C. W. Garard secretary, after which the various committees were appointed. To the matter of the permanent location of the state fair, the board decided in favor of permanent location, but referred the choice of location to the legislature.

The committee appointed to secure the location for Deatur was in Springfield, but, owing to the action of the board in referring the location to the legislature, were unable to do anything farther than speak a good word for Deatur as the most suitable place for a permanent location.

The whole thing will now have to be fought out in the legislature, which means a hot and prolonged fight. In view of the fact that the legislature is so far to assume that Deatur's chief competitor will be Springfield, it is that the location will be between the two cities. This being the case it might as well be conceded first as last that Deatur will have to put its best foot forward, and put it there vigorously too to win. Notwithstanding the fact that the advantage of Deatur over all comers is paramount, when accessibility to all the people of the state and the vim and vigor of the city is taken into the account, in anything of this nature, which is to be determined by the legislature, Springfield has advantages hard to overcome. These advantages are not those of location and accessibility. In fact it does not enjoy any of these in the same degree that Deatur does. But its chief advantage is the fact that it is the Capital of the state and as such has been for years the political mecca of the politicians of the state. The result of this has been that every leading citizen in Springfield has become in one way and another, trained in the business of lobbying with the legislature and executive officers, and with this class of men on the ground seven days in the week, and every week the legislature is in session, to defeat them will require strong and shrewd work.

AN ECCELESIASTICAL COURT.

The Case of Rev. Dr. Phillips Now Being Tried Before the Ecclesiastical Appellate Court of the M. E. Church.

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Yesterday afternoon in one of the First Methodist church rooms assembled the ecclesiastical appellate court of the Methodist Episcopal church. The court was presided over by Bishop G. B. Merrill, of Chicago, and was composed of seven ministers from the Northern Indiana conference, the Central Illinois conference and the Illinois conference, 21 in all.

The case was called for the purpose of trying the case of Dr. J. N. Phillips, at one time chaplain of the Southern Illinois Penitentiary and presiding elder of the Alton district. It is charged that about a year ago he became involved in immoral relations with Mrs. Laird, wife of Rev. Laird of Gillespie, Ill. The case was tried by the conference and Dr. Phillips found guilty. The case was taken to the supreme court, which decision is final. The attorneys for Dr. Phillips are Rev. M. Robinson of Brighton, and Rev. J. L. Walter of Mt. Auburn. The attorneys for the prosecution are Rev. G. B. Merrill, of Chicago, and Rev. C. A. Ewing, of Peoria, and Rev. W. A. Connelley, of Peoria, and Rev. T. Marshall, of St. Louis and J. Foxworth.

The case of Dr. Phillips is quite a noted one and is attracting much attention. For twenty-five years he has been a member of the Illinois conference and was one of the leading men in it until the preferring of the charges against him by Mrs. Laird after the suspension of Rev. Mr. Laird from the church at Gillespie.

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